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FM AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4128
AMEMBASSY BANGKOK
AMEMBASSY MANILA
AMCONSUL UDORN
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MACTHAI BANGKOK THAI J/3
AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

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JAKARTA FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY HABIB
DEPARTMENT PASS SECRETARY KISSINGER'S PARTY

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: AEMR, LA
SUBJ: E&E US PRESENCE IN LAOS

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1. TEN OFFICIAL AMERICANS DEPARTED VIENTIANE BY COMMERCIAL AIR, ATTACHE PLANE, OR SURFACE TO THAILAND MAY 29.
2. ALL IVS CONTRACTORS WERE INSTRUCTED TO DEPART NOT LATER THAN MAY 29, 1975. BELIEVE DIRECTOR JAMES LINN AND REMAINING CONTRACTORS HAVE NOW DEPARTED SINCE WE HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO CONTACT THEM TODAY. THEY HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM COUNT.

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3. CURRENT FIGURE FOR OFFICIAL AMERICANS STILL IN LAOS IS 161.

4. WE CONTINUE TO SHOW A TOTAL OF 111 NON-OFFICIAL AMERICANS. IT
WAS AGAIN STRONGLY RECOMMENDED TO ALL WHOM WE
COULD LOCATE ON MAY 27 THAT THEY SEND OUT ALL DEPENDENTS AND ALL
PRINCIPALS WHOSE PRESENCE IN LAOS IS NOT ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL AT
THIS TIME. THE 111 FIGURE MAY BE INFLATED SINCE PERSONS WHO HAVE
REGISTERED WITH THE CONSULAR OFFICE DO NOT ALWAYS INFORM THAT
OFFICE WHEN THEY ARE LEAVING; IN ADDITION, THE FIGURE INCLUDES AN
ESTIMATE OF 35 UNKNOWNS TO COVER WORLD TRAVELERS OR OTHER TOURISTS
WHO MAY BE IN THE COUNTRY AND HAVE NOT REGISTERED.

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NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED SECRETARY KISSINGER'S PARTY.

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